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Public Sale.

On TUESDAY next,
At 10 o'clock, will be sold at the Vendue Store,
RUM

In hds. and bls. French Brandy in pipes,
Whiskey and Apple Brandy in bls.
Sugar in hds. tierces and bls.
Chocolate
White and brown Soap and
Mould and dipt Candles
Raisins in kegs, boxes and jars,
Figs in kegs and frails,
Queen's Ware in crates,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
&c. Also,
A Variety of DRY GOODS,
among which are
Cloths, Coatings, Kersemeres,
Duffels, Plains, Kerseys, Negro Cottons,
Serges, Blakicks, blue Friezes,
Calmancoes, Ruffsels, Yarn Stockings,
Chintzes and Callicoes,
Irish Linens, Silecia do.
Osnaburgs and Tickenburgs,
Muslin and Muslin Handkerchiefs,
India Muslins and Table Cloths,
Bandanna Handkerchiefs,
Coloured Threads, Hats and sundry other
wares.

Philip G. Marsteller.

PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of a deed of trust, from
John Davidson to the subscriber, for securing
the payment of thirteen hundred dollars to Jo-
seph Thomas and Joseph Faxon, will be exposed
to PUBLIC SALE, to the highest bidder, for
ready money, on the premises, on SATURDAY
the 14th day of October next, at four o'clock in
the afternoon, a HOUSE and LOT, on Prince-
street, between Water and Fairfax streets, late-
occupied by the said James Davidson as a ta-
vern. The House is large and commodious,
and is in a part of the town well calculated for
business of any kind—and the sale will positively
take place.

G. Deneale, Trustee.

September 19. dlf.
Wanted to Purchase,
50 well seasoned Locust or Cedar Posts,
and 250 stout Chestnut RA ILS.
Apply to the Printer.

Mackarel & Whiskey.

110 barrels of MACKAREL just received,
per schooner Miram, from Rhode Island;
ALSO,
35 barrels strong proof RYE WHISKEY—
and
30 kegs manufactured James-River TOBAC.
CO. warranted good. These articles will be
sold low. Apply to
John & Thomas Vowell.

July 16. d
FOR SALE,
A likely NEGRO BOY, about 12 or
13 years old.
Enquire of the Printer.

September 12.
JUST RECEIVED,
A few chests Young Hyson and
Imperial Teas.

Mould, Tallow, and Spermaceti
Candles, of nice quality;
For Sale, by
John G. Ladd.

September 20. d
GUNPOWDER.
Just received, and for sale by the sub-
scribers,
15 quarter-casks F and FF Belona Gunpow-
der, of a superior quality.

ALSO,
25 chests Young Hyson Tea,
50 barrels New England Rum,
10 hogheads Molasses,
10 quarter-casks Malaga Wine,
3 trunks mens' coarse Shoes—and
A quantity Painter's Paris
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
September 7. d

TO RENT,
A convenient two-story Brick-house
on Wilkes street, opposite Capt. George Stacum's
For terms apply to
July 6. John C. Vowell.

For Freight or Charter,

The substantial, fast sailing
SHIP

William and John,

Thomas Woodhouse, Master;

Carries 350 hogheads of tobac.

60 or 2300 barrels of flour. Ap-
ply to the Master on board, or

James Patton,

Who has for Sale,

Cogniac Brandy, 4th proof, old, and of good
flavor

Jamaica Spirit, in puncheons
Molasses, in hogheads

A pipe of Old London particular Madeira
Wine

Mulcovado Sugar, in hds. and bls.

New York prime Beef and Pork

Loaf Sugar, in hds.

Cadiz Salt

Coffee, in bags

September 17. d

SHIP

UNITED STATES,

J. M. SPEAKE,

Arrived at Liverpool, in per-
fect safety, after a passage of 26

days; and expected to sail about

the beginning of August, with FALL GOODS,
for Alexandria and George Town. She may be

expected by the 20th instant, and as we are de-
sirous of giving her dispatch so as to place her at

Liverpool for an early ship next spring, for this
river, we will either charter, or take in part

freight to a convenient port in France, or to
Cowes and a Market, or LIVERPOOL DIRECT.

Apply to

Ricketts, Newton & Co.

September 4. d

FOR SALE,

A few likely NEGROES.

For terms, apply to

BENJAMIN DULANY,

Who will offer at Public Sale, on the first of
November next, at his plantation near the

Falls Church,

All his Stock & Farming Utensils,

of every description.

On a credit of 6 months—the purchasers giving
bond with good security for the payment.

September 5. dlf

PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Court of the United
States for the fifth circuit in the Virginia

district, pronounced at the May term, 1803,
in behalf of ROBERT BIRD against Joseph

Walton and John Love; will be sold to the
highest bidder for ready money,

AN ESTATE or PLANTATION, in the
county of Prince William, called Buck-

land—and one in the county of Westmoreland,
called Chantilly; for the purpose of raising the

sum of twelve thousand dollars with interest
thereon, to be computed after the rate of five

per centum per annum, from the 10th day of
November, 1795; and the further sum of nine

thousand four hundred and fifty four dollars and
eighty eight cents, with like interest, to be com-

puted from the 10th day of May, 1798.

The sale of the above-mentioned estates will
be made on the premises; that of Buckland to

take place on the 14th day of October next—
from which only the sum of eight thousand three

hundred and forty-six dollars, with interest, at
six per centum per annum, to be computed from

the 25th day of July, 1797, and the expense of
sale thereof is to be raised, and the residue from

that called Chantilly, the sale of which will take
place on the 16th day of the same month.

Benjamin Mosby, D. M.

FOR

Joseph Scott, M. V. D.

September 5. dlf 4th Oct.

Mutual Insurance Office,

RICHMOND, Sept. 5th, 1805.

THE members of the Mutual Insurance Com-
pany against Fire on Goods and Furniture

in the State of Virginia, are hereby notified that
a second full quota is found to be necessary, and

is hereby called for, to be paid by each member
of this company to the cashier-general on or be-
fore the first day of October next.

The members of this company will be pleased
to take notice, that all who fail to comply with
this requisition will cease to be insured after the

day fixed on for the payment of the said quota
until payment is made. And in order to place
this institution on a respectable footing, it is

deemed necessary to motion immediately against
all delinquents—so that no indulgence need be
expected after the first day of October next.

Benjamin DuVal, President.

PRINTING, in its various branches,
handsomely executed at this office.

NOTICE.

THE late Copartnership of Bennett & Watts,
is dissolved by mutual consent, on the 31st of
August last. All those indebted, will please
make payment to Charles Bennett, to whom the
debts are assigned, and those having claims will
apply to him for payment.

Charles Bennett,

John Watts.

September 16. d3w

PUBLIC NOTICE.

THE Trustees of the town of PROVIDENCE,
having thought it expedient to postpone
the Sale of the several LOTS in the said town,
advertised for sale on this day, until MONDAY
the 21st day of October next—Notice therefore
is given, That the said Trustees will, on that
day, proceed to expose to PUBLIC SALE, for
ready money, the several LOTS in the said
town, agreeable to the act of assembly establish-
ing the same.

Charles Little,

W. Payne,

Richard Fitzhugh,

H. Gunnel, jun.

Wm. Middleton,

Daniel McChichester,

Francis Coffey,

Daniel Lewis,

John C. Hunter.

MONDAY, the 19th day } (29)
of August, 1805. dlf

FOR SALE,

IN PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY,

Neabco Furnace, and its Ap-

pendages, with 4 or 5000 acres

of Land adjoining.

NEAR the town of Dumfries, and within
four miles of the Potomac. The soil is
generally adapted to the produce of small grain—
and, if too considerable for one purchaser, will
be laid off in lots suitable for small farms. A
description of the land is thought unnecessary, as
those willing to purchase will, no doubt, first
view it. The payments required will be one-
third cash, and the balance in two annual instal-
ments, to be secured by a mortgage on the land,
and no deed will be made until the last payment
is complied with. Any person wishing to pur-
chase, may know the terms by applying to Mr.
Thomas F. Page, living near the premises; who
is fully authorized by me, to sell the whole or
any part.

John Tayloe.

Mount Airy, August 12. d3m

N. B. A valuable Mine Bank, in
Maryland, may be had with the Furnace.

Jamaica Rum for Sale.

FOR SALE,

A few puncheons 4th proof Jamai-

ca Rum.

James Sanderson.

August 26. d

Alexander Smith & Son

Have just received from on board the brig Ma-
ria, from Lisbon,

72 boxes of LEMONS,

In uncommon good order.

They also keep, as usual,

Sugar, in hds. and barrels

Jamaica Rum, in hds.

Loaf and Lump Sugar

New England Rum, in barrels

Salt, of different kinds

Imperial and Young Hyson Teas

Whiskey, by the hhd. and barrel

And other GROCERIES, as usual; all of
which they will sell low for cash, or exchange
for country produce.

N. B. We also continue to keep a complete
assortment of BOLTING CLOTHS, and select
the best FLOUR for family use, and will give
the highest price for FLAX-SEED.

September 19. d4w

The Subscriber has just Received,

And now offers for Sale, at his Store in King

street;

A few hundred weight soft shelled

Almonds; 32 boxes Lisbon Sweetmeats, of a

superior quality, and a large assortment of Lis-

bon Baskets of various sizes.

In addition to the above, he has also on hand,

A complete assortment of CONFEC-

TIONARY,

All of which he will sell either by wholesale
or retail, remarkably low for cash.

Matthew Eakin.

September 19. d6r

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE Copartnership hitherto subsisting under
the firm of Joseph Riddle & Co. of Alexandria,
was dissolved the first instant, by mutual con-
sent: All persons that are indebted to, or that
have claims on the same, are requested to come
forward and settle, as it is desirable to close the
concern as soon as possible. Those whose ac-
counts are of long standing are particularly re-
quested to attend to this notice, and make
payments to either of the subscribers.

JOSEPH RIDDLE,

Of Alexandria.

JAMES DALL,

Of Baltimore.

September 18. d

RYE WHISKEY.

50 barrels strong and fine flavored Rye Whis-
key.

A few hogheads prime retailing Molasses,
20 1-8 chests Young Hyson Tea, of a very
superior quality.

Assorted Patent Shot, and a variety of British
Gunpowder, from 1 to 100 lb. with a
general assortment of Liquors and Groceries—

FOR SALE, by

Mandeville & Jameson.

September 18. dlf

Ground-Rents for Sale.

ON THURSDAY, the 4th day of October
next, between the hours of twelve and
one, will be Sold, to the highest bidder, for
ready money, at the Coffee-House, two separate
Ground-Rents, secured by valuable Lots in this
town, for £20 17 3 Virginia Currency.

J. H. Hooe, Assignee

of the estate of John Giff—a bankrupt,
September 5. dlf

LAND for SALE.

I have about 1000 acres of Land,
equal to any in the State of Kentucky, lying
near Lexington, which I will sell a great bargain
the title indisputable, and an old military
one. The terms of the sale will be made low,
and a very lengthy credit given on a considera-
ble part of the purchase money. Those gentle-
men who intend to settle in the State, and who
wish to purchase, may find it their interest to
call upon me. I have the certificate of the hon.
John Brackenridge, Esq. and others, shewing
the title, situation, quality, quantity and value
of this property.

John Luke.

August 5. dlf

NOTICE.

The subscriber, administrator to the
estate and effects of Eugene Hanly, deceased, re-
quests all persons who have claims against the es-
tate, to bring them forward, legally authenti-
cated, for settlement; and those indebted will
please to make immediate payment.

William Oxley.

August 14. d

FORTY DOLLARS Reward.

Strayed or Stolen on Monday night last, from the
subscriber,

A HORSE, with a star on his
forehead, has a saddle mark on his left side,
bob tail, 6 years old. Whoever takes up the
said horse and delivers him to the subscriber,
shall have ten dollars reward and for the thief
forty dollars.

MARSTELLER & YOUNG.

September 20. dlf

Forty Dollars Reward,

For apprehending and securing in any gaol in
the United States, so that I get him again,

Negro ABNER;

HE is a stout, strong, and active fellow;
understands plantation business well and is
a good shoemaker; he is about 32 years old,
about 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high; he has some
old scars from a whip which he received seven-
teen years ago for running away; he has been
my property ever since and I do not recollect
that he has ever been corrected since, although
often deserved it; he has a mother in Fauquier
county, Virginia, the property of Mr. John
Bronaugh, and I have been informed he was
seen on the road enquiring for said place, with
a pass setting forth that he was a free man, and
my name affixed to some of them, all of which
are forgeries; and I will give a further reward
of Forty Dollars to any person that will inform
me of the person or persons guilty of the forge-
ry, provided they are convicted of the same.

The above slave went off 23th July, 1805.

THOMAS WEST,

August 14. d

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d acres of LAND, in
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and two from Georgetown,
and part of that heavily tim-
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POLITICAL ESSAYS

On the essential and distinctive qualities of Democracies and Republics, with reference to the Constitution of the United States.

FROM THE BALTIMORE REPUBLICAN, OR ANTI-DEMOCRAT.

ESSAY XIV.

In our fifth number, having laid down the position, that the essence of a democracy consists in a power to enact laws being lodged in the body of the people, which may be exercised by them either collectively, or successively; we observed: "The authorities derived from the ancients, in proof of this point, will be principally those which are relied upon by the Abbe Barthélemy in his celebrated work entitled, *The Travels of Anacharsis, the younger, in Greece*, more particularly those which he quotes in his chapter, 'Of the nature of governments according to Aristotle and the other philosophers,' and his chapter 'Of the present government of Athens.'"

In quoting these authorities, as was proper, we used the title "Arist. de Repub." employed by the author, or translator of Anacharsis, to designate "Aristotle's Politics," the work quoted.

It is on the use of this "Arist. de Repub." that "the editor" [Mr. Duane] builds his second and last proof. We shall give it in his own words: "In Stanley's History of Philosophy, vol. 2, part 6, page 91, printed at London, under the general classification, Ethics, and the particular subject, politics, in this literal definition.

"Democracy. They who command or advise or judge in a democracy, are taken out of all, either by suffrage or lot."

"This is the definition given by a writer to whose authority the Anti-Democrat appealed with so much confidence. But in quoting which, the Anti-Democrat has either been deceived himself, or has attempted to deceive others, by quoting a book called Aristotle de Republica. In the catalogue of his works by Patricius, the number of which, exclusive of the Epistles, is 40, there are four works entitled *Politica* or *Politics*, one on a kingdom, one on tyrants, one on constitutional law, 158 on the government of cities, and one entitled of *Proper Democracies*. Whether the latter is the book referred to by the Anti-Democrat, under the designation of Aristotle de Republica, we shall not pretend to determine, because the books are lost, they do not exist. Of the books that have not perished, there are 8 entitled *Politike*. Perhaps it is one of these the Anti-Democrat has quoted, Aristotle de Republica, as if Aristotle wrote in Latin." (52)

Again, "Whether the error originated in the translating Anacharsis into English from the French, or that the Abbe Barthélemy was guilty of the fault is not very material. The French edition of Aristotle is in the Philadelphia library, but, besides that Aristotle de Republica is Latin, it is not a fair translation of any of his books. Nor is there in the list of those books that are lost such a title. In the class of Ethics, there are four books the title of which is [*politika*] politics, but these are amongst the lost, as in his work on a "Proper Democracy," tyranny, oligarchy, and the government of cities. Of the works that are extant, there is one work, in eight books, which is entitled [*politike*] of politics; in this treatise so far from using the word [*politika*] for a Republic, he uses it in speaking of a Monarchy. (53)

The patience of the reader is requested for a moment. We do not engage to reward him for his condescension. Criticism, we know, is to many, a tiresome subject. All that we can promise is to be brief.

We remark, in the first place, that the definition here given by Duane, of a democracy, is not taken from Aristotle's politics, but from a summary of his eight books on politics (which have not been lost), condensed into about two thirds of a quarto page in Stanley's life of that Philosopher. As far, however, as the abridgement goes it is correct. "Those in a democracy who command or advise or judge are taken out of all, either by suffrage or lot." We have never disputed this fact; nor produced any quotation from Aristotle in any manner contradictory of it. Power exercised by delegation must exist under every form of government. In no government can all the people command, advise or judge. In a democracy, therefore, the people in assembly or assemblies, choose their

Generals, who command, their Senate, who advise or prepare their edicts, and the officers of their courts of justice, who judge. (54) But this is not all. Besides choosing those who command, or advise, or judge, "it is consequent to the nature of a democracy (as it has been observed), that all matters of deliberation or legislation, should be decided by all the people, either collectively or successively." (55)

Stanley's abridgement is to the same effect, if the whole be considered, instead of a part. "A city, he says, is governed either by one man, or some few, or all, and each of these either rightly or unjustly. Rightly when the princes respect the common good; unjustly when they consider their own private interest. The right are Monarchy, Aristocracy, Democracy; the unjust, Tyranny, Oligarchy, Ochlocracy. There is also a mixed government, consisting of the good kinds. And whereas a commonwealth is often changed into better or worse; that is best which is guided according to virtue, that worse which is according to vice."

"They who command or advise or judge, in a democracy, are taken out of all, either by suffrage or lot, in an oligarchy out of the richer; in an aristocracy out of the best."

Secondly. We have read with attention, the eight books of Aristotle's Politics, and compared the quotations, used by the Abbe Barthélemy, and quoted from thence, by the Mirror, and find the sense of Aristotle in no instance perverted or misrepresented.

Thirdly. "The Editor" mentions his having seen in the Philadelphia Library, a French edition of Aristotle's Politics. If he will take the trouble to look again into the library, he will find in it, "*Aristotelis Opera, Græce et Latine*. Perceiving that he understands Greek and Latin, we would recommend it to him for a view of Aristotle's Politics, instead of Stanley's; which, as before observed, is comprised in less than a quarto page.

He will also find in that library, a treatise, entitled "*Aristotelis de Optimum Statu Reipublicæ*," which he may, perhaps, reconcile him to the title used by the author of Anacharsis, or his translator, "*Aristotelis de Reipublicæ*."

It is in this manner Mr. Duane confutes a book (as Collin says of his antagonists) at the rate that mice do, by nibbling a little at a few of the leaves.

But the author of the Travels of Anacharsis, the younger, in Greece, is not permitted to escape with this detection. Besides not knowing how to translate the title of Aristotle's Politics into Latin, he was (saying your presence) a priest, and the tutor and the defender of the worst public statement which Europe has known in the last eventful century." (56) and, as if this had not been sufficient to have deprived him of public confidence, he adds, that his most celebrated work, the Travels of Anacharsis, the younger, is only a Romance. Ah! from what remorse might not this writer save himself, did but the romances he publishes, almost daily, in the Aurora, rest upon an equally solid foundation!

The Abbe was about thirty years employed on this romance, in the whole of which, there is not a single fact, sentence, or circumstance, relative to the Greek institutions and governments, that is not supported by the weight and authority of some ancient writer. And let me add, the fidelity of the abbe, relative to these authorities, has never been called in question, before this attack by the erudite vindicator of the democratic constitutions of America.

But the abbe does not stand a solitary instance of the critical acumen of Mr. Duane. Hume's word is not to be taken for a mere historical fact, relative to the Roman commonwealth—Why?—he was the apologist of the house of Stuart. (57) Aristotle, too, is unworthy of all belief: Why? he was the preceptor of Alexander the Great. (58) Xenophon and Thucydides are as little worthy of credit as either: Why? because they were banished from Athens. And for the same reason should Socrates be quoted, his authority would be rejected, he having been sentenced, by the Athenians, to drink poison. But more of this hereafter.

"The Editor" having thus got rid of all authorities, ancient and modern, undertakes to get rid of his own hypothesis. In his eleventh number the American govern-

ments, which till then were "complete and perfect democracies," very unexpectedly, indeed, and all at once, become "Representative Democracies."

This forensick manœuvre, this attempt a *donner le change*, does not strike, at the first view, as a very intelligible argument in support of the original hypothesis.—"We have examined ('the Editor' exclaims in his 9th number) the constitution of the United States, and we find it to be, in every sense of the word, a Democracy. (59)—It would be satisfactory to be informed, in what degree of relation a representative democracy, stands, to a democracy "complete and perfect in every sense of the word?" Are they synonymous or convertible terms? Or how many removes is a "representative democracy" from a complete and perfect democracy? Has it gained a place in democratical genealogy? And by what symbolical figure do the ancients distinguish it?

A Democratical Government has been represented, iconologically, "by a woman, in the mean but decent habit, to represent the condition of the common people; crowned with a chaplet of vine leaves wreathed with a branch of elm, to denote union; holding, in one hand, a pomegranate, as an emblem of the people assembled in one body; and in the other serpents, because they are contented to remain in a low state, and do not aspire to higher things; corn lying on the ground, and sacks of corn round about her, to shew that a public provision for the necessities of every one, maintains peace and union." (60)

How shall we personify a representative democracy? Shall we in conformity with the doctrine of Mr. Duane, & the practice of democrats, represent it by a beautiful Parisian *Poissonade*, [Fish-monger] her right arm embracing a lofty oak, its trunk fast decaying, while its extended branches exhibit the *misletoe* in full bloom and vigour, emblematical of committees and demagogues, those perfections of democratic policy "imprium in imprurio," her left arm extended, and displaying a *polypus*, significant of every, the smallest, subdivision of the people being equal to the whole.

To proceed without allegory or emblem—In what Greek author shall we find the term, "Representative democracy?" What definition is given of it by Lexicographers? Shall we look for it in Walker's Critical Pronouncing Dictionary?—The author of these numbers is so unfortunate as not to have seen the term in any of the Lexicons with which he is acquainted. Should he meet with it in consulting Aristotle's de Optimum Statu Reipublicæ, or any of the ancient authors, it is hoped he will be so public spirited as not to keep the discoveries to himself.

Well then, easy people you have got a representative democracy, in the place of, "in every sense of the word," and "in every respect a complete and perfect democracy."

Thus in the course of a few weeks, we have passed from something real to representative; from the thing itself complete and perfect in all its parts, to a mere representation of the thing. *Sic transit gloria mundi*. It must however, be a matter of consolation to those among us who dislike the substance, to learn, from Mr. Duane himself, that they have only got the shadow.

(49) Aurora, Aug. 25.

(60) *Distionarium Britannicum*, &c. by N. Bailey.

BOSTON, Sept. 17.

Continental war with Europe.

From the spirited tone of the note of Novoziltzoff, the Russian minister at Berlin, on resigning his French passports; from the irritating remarks on the documents in the French government paper; and from the confidence expressed in the English gazettes, that this will be the last pacific overture of the court of Peterburgh, we think that the prospect of a coalition of European powers, to defend themselves against France, is now strongly supported.

Invasion of England.

This enterprize is again the topic of conversation in France and Holland, and represented to be on the eve of experiment. We presume it is as probable now as it was two years ago, and no more. Bonaparte may think it expedient, while he is in reality preparing for a bold contest with the continental powers, to affect an intention to invade England. If we are right in our conjectures, his object in all his recent preparation is not to cross the channel.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.

Arrived brig Hannah, Vandyne, from Isle of May.

Left the ship Elizabeth, for New York in 14 days.

Brig Concord, Millar, of Kennebunk, from Point Petre, Guadeloupe.

Sailed in co. ship Eliza, of New Orleans for New York.

Spoke nothing.

Schr. Mariner, Sydleman, from St. Pierre, Mart.

Schr. Huntress, Montgomery from Philadelphia.

Schr. Citizen, Hanford from St. Domin.

Left, the ship Fame, for Baltimore, in 2 days; ship Sally of New York, for Antwerp in 4 days; ship Thomas Wilson for Havana, in 4 days; ship Ohio, of New York, destination not known; schr. New York Packet, Geer, of New York; brig Hercules, of New York, at English-town, for Havana.

The ship Howard, sailed in co. for New York.

September 1, lat. 23, 17, off Havana, spoke the brig Ranger, from Jamaica, for New York.

September 14, lat. 33, 23, long. 77, spoke the schr. Success, Curtis, from the Bay of Honduras, for Philadelphia.

Schr. Splash, Hylyard, from St. Pierre, Mart.

Left there, brig Wealtha, Ann, for New York, in 10 days; schooner Mahua, and brig Actress, Tinker for do. in 10 days, and several others.

September 14, lat. 32, 30, long. 74, spoke schooner Rhoda, 6 days from Philadelphia for St. Thomas having lost one man and 2 sick of the fever.

Schr. Rising States, Newcomb, from Norfolk.

English schooner Judith, Moser, in 10 days from Halifax, last from Lunenburg.

Brig Regulator, Doe, from Washington, N. C.

Schooner Charlotte, Block from Norfolk.

Left there sloop Little Jim, for New York.

Schooner Eliza, Addison, from Richmond.

Saw a British brig ashore at Cap Henry, from Jamaica for Norfolk.

Schr. Eagle, Forbes, from Murphreysborough, N. C.

Schr. Harmony, Holmes, from Baltimore.

Schr. Constellation, King, from Richmond.

Schr. Luna Maria, Eatten, from North Carolina.

Schr. Two Brothers, Burras, from Wilmington, N. C.

September 18th, off the Capes of Philadelphia, spoke brig Julian, 25 days from Trinidad.

U. S. cutter Patrick, Bright from Norfolk.

Sloop Katy Maria, Storer from Norfolk.

Sloop Washington, Kollock, from Indian River.

BALTIMORE, September 21.

The brig Spartan, Chamberlain, hence to Smyrna, arrived at Mal a, in 43 days.

Arrived, schooner Brutus, Meader, 15 days from Point Peter, Guad. Left there 7th instant, brig Orient, Dismore; same day, Brilliant, Monserrat, for do. in 20 days; schr. Two Brothers, Watts, of do. arrived the evening before, in 43 days passage; ship Rising States, Ingraham, for New York, in 18 days; brig Orient, Jenny, for do. uncertain; schooner Concord, Dill Philadelphia, in 13 or 14 days; Hero, Shaw, of do. just arrived; Olive Branch, Crawford, of do. going into port; brig Elizabeth, Powers, Newburyport; Ellen, Jordan, for Portland, in 10 days; schr. Atalanta, Price, for Charleston, in 6 days. In lat. 31, long. 74, 80, W. spoke schooner Endeavor, Rogers, from Trinidad for N. York.

September 22.

Arrived, brig Three Brothers, McNeal, 24 days from St. Pierre, Martinique. Left there, 29th ult. brig George, Stiles, for Baltimore, in 10 or 12 days; Redress, for New York, loading; Sampson, of Portland, ready for sea; Antelope, of N. Haven, bound to leeward; schooner Baltimore, Penrice, from Baltimore, 26th; Ann Pollard, Moffat, from the Spanish Maine, loading for Portsmouth; Splash, of New York, loading. Sept. 4, lat. 20, long. 63, 30, spoke brig Philip, Brown, from Baltimore for St. Thomas, out 17 days.

FOR SALE—OR TO LET,

THE DWELLING HOUSE which I now occupy, on Royalstreet. As I am going to remove, possession may be had the first day of August.

JOSEPH SMITH.

July 22.

NORFOLK, September

We have of late heard many of the "conduct of the Ex-Bashaw, and of its faith to have him throne of Tripoli. Those opinions will perceive they are, on perusing elegant letter, of Commodore Barron's, (received via Baltimore, and do honor to the most diplomatic character.)—Norfolk.

OFFICIAL

The following is an extract of commodore Barron, to W.

respected, MALTA, Dec.

You must be sensible the sanction to a co-operation, the government did not take the measure of adding to its rights to the agency they appear to have viewed as a means, which if they enterprize in the settlement to his person on the former subjects, might be common furtherance and advantage; but with a view to their better themselves by any private attainments as an end, with my instructions and the propriety for that special purpose. I fear by their own seem to think of making a wider range would be consistent with the powers of that particular object. The former may perhaps prove further representations from the present impressions, I must state explicitly, that I must not sanction from any convention committing the U. S. or tend to Hamet bashaw, a conviction bound ourselves to place throne.

The consequences involve engagement cannot but strike a general view of our situation to the reigning bashaw, to the countrymen in Tripoli to mark its inexpediency consider it as my duty, as my inclination to afford you suitable with the authority you commensurate with the m. been placed at my disposal rely upon the most active support from the squadron. reason and our arrangement is to appear in force before Mal a; but I wish you to guarantee or engagements, whose cause I must only favoring as an instrument, and not as an end, be held to stand in the way of service to any honorable and terms of accommodation with the bashaw may be induced. These terms being once offered by the representative of the ex-bashaw must necessarily will not, however, conceive considerations, important as they are, ought to induce us to the benefits which the perseverance in them by suitable with a total freedom with respect to a d. which freedom I deem it preserve, especially when the situation in which capital and his fellow-sufferers n. his co-operation. If by forward, you succeed in getting Derne and Bengaze, which having received this strength, the ex-bashaw sufficient energy, could interest among the people to steps, and to conduct followers to the gates of Mal a; he be found deficient in qualities, or that it has been deceived in regard to the inhabitants, he must subject for further su-

RICHMOND, Sep.

Extract from a letter "Pittsylvania county." The very great drop of corn and tobacco in country, and has always been consequence hitherto inhabitants.

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NORFOLK, September 19.
We have of late heard many opinions con-
cerning the conduct of this country to-
wards the Ex-Bashaw, and of its having pledg-
ed its faith to have him raised to the
throne of Tripoli. Those who advocate
such opinions will perceive how errone-
ous they are, on perusing the following
elegant letter, of Commodore Samuel
Barron's, (received via Baltimore) which
would do honor to the most sensible di-
plomatic character. —*Norfolk Herald.*
OFFICIAL.

The following is an extract of a letter from
Commodore Barron, to William Eaton,
esq., dated,

MALTA, Dec. 22, 1804.

"You must be sensible that in giving
your sanction to a co-operation with the
Ex-Bashaw, government did not contem-
pate the measure as leading necessarily to
a reinstatement of that prince
in his rights to the regency of Tripoli:
They appear to have viewed the co-opera-
tion as a means, which if there existed en-
mity and enterprize in the exile, and at-
tachment to his person on the part of his
former subjects, might be employed to the
common furtherance and advantage of his
claims and our cause; but without meaning
to fetter themselves by any specific or de-
finite attainment as an end, which the tenor
of my instructions and the limited sum ap-
propriated for that special purpose, clearly
demonstrates. I fear by the convention
you seem to think of making with Hamet,
that a wider range would be taken than is
consistent with the powers vested in me
for that particular object. These apprehen-
sions may perhaps prove groundless on
further representations from you, but un-
der present impressions, I felt it my duty
to state explicitly, that I must withhold my
sanction from any convention or agreement
committing the U. S. or tending to impress
on Hamet bashaw, a conviction that we
have bound ourselves to place him upon the
throne.

The consequences involved in such an
engagement cannot but strike you forcibly,
and a general view of our situation in rela-
tion to the reigning bashaw, and our unfor-
tunate countrymen in Tripoli, will be suf-
ficient to mark its inexpediency. I shall
consider it as my duty, as it is certainly
my inclination to afford you every aid com-
patible with the authority vested in me and
commensurate with the means that have
been placed at my disposal; and you may
rely upon the most active and vigorous
support from the squadron, as soon as the
season and our arrangements will permit
us to appear in force before the enemy's
walls; but I wish you to understand that
no guarantee or engagement to the exiled
prince, whose cause I must repeat we are
only favoring as an instrument to our ad-
vantage, and not as an end in itself, must
be held to stand in the way of our acqui-
escent to any honorable and advantageous
terms of accommodation which the reign-
ing bashaw may be induced to propose.
These terms being once offered and accept-
ed by the representative of government ap-
pointed to treat of peace, our support to
the ex-bashaw must necessarily cease. You
will not, however, conceive, sir, that these
considerations, important and necessary as
they are, ought to induce us at once to aban-
don the benefits which the measure you have
adopted seem to promise. I conceive a
perseverance in them by no means incom-
patible with a total freedom from any tram-
mels with respect to a definitive object,
which freedom I deem it all important to
preserve, especially when I view the pecu-
liar situation in which Captain Bainbridge
and his fellow-sufferers may be placed by
this co-operation. If by your energy and
exertions added to the supplies now sent
forward, you succeed in getting possession
of Derne and Bengaze, we may calculate
that having received this impulse from our
strength, the ex-bashaw will himself pos-
sess sufficient energy, courage and talent,
and if accounts are correct, sufficient in-
terest among the people to move on with
followers to the gates of Tripoli; but
should he be found deficient in these es-
sential qualities, or that it appears we have
been deceived in regard to the disposition
of the inhabitants, he must be held at an
unfit subject for further support or co-opera-
tion."

RICHMOND, September 21.

Extract from a letter, dated
Pittsylvania county, Sept. 7, 1805.
"The very great drought lately, has
much shortened the prospect of our crops
of corn and tobacco in this part of the
country, and has always been attended with
consequence hitherto unknown by the
inhabitants.

"Almost all the fish in Staunton river,
of every kind, have died; thousands and
tens of thousands were found in the shoals,
sand bars, and banks of the river, as far
up and down as any information has been
obtained. From the intolerable stench,
occasioned by their putrefaction, a conta-
gion on the river must certainly have fol-
lowed; but happily there came a heavy fall
of rain, which raised a considerable swell
in the river, that carried the offending sub-
stance down.

"There is scarcely a fish now to be seen
in the river (alive); and such as are seen
are of the flat perch kind. As well as I
recollect, from the 20th to the 25th of Au-
gust was the period most fatal. Some al-
ledge that the excessive heat of the season
and the lowness of the water, which has
been generally muddy, have occasioned this
phenomenon; others ascribe it to differ-
ent causes. But what seems strange is,
that the fish, neither in Otter river or Pig
river, have been the least affected."

Alexandria Daily Advertiser.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25.

The Editor of the London Courier, (af-
ter remarking on admiral Calder's victory)
says:—"It comes most seasonably too af-
ter the spirited note of M. Novoziltzow to
the Prussian government. Perhaps it
would be difficult to determine to which of
the two cabinets that note does the most
honor, the Russian or the British; it af-
fords a perfect proof of the manly and de-
cisive principles by which the former has
been actuated; it furnishes a complete jus-
tification of the conduct of the latter. We
now see how wisely and how justly the Mo-
niteur and the Opposition sneered at that
guarded term of *confidential intercourse and
connection*, which the minister made use of
in speaking of our relations with Russia.
We may now estimate the degree of confi-
dence to be placed in the repeated assert-
ions of the French official paper, that we had
no relations with the European Powers; we
pray now decide upon the weight and value
of the charges brought by the Grenville and
Fox party that we had lost all character
and credit upon the continent, and that the
general belief and conviction of the Euro-
pean powers was, that we had entered into
the present war from motives of mere self-
interest. The Russian note is the refuta-
tion of all the charges of the opposition,
and to make use of a strong but coarse ex-
pression, has thrown them upon their backs.
It is impossible that a note could be couched
in terms more honorable to the motives
and conduct of Great Britain. Whilst the
adversaries of the minister were complain-
ing that the French overture for peace has
been treated with haughty contempt, it ap-
pears that we were urging Russia to con-
quer the obstacles she felt to a negotiation,
and to make sacrifices for the restoration of
peace; whilst the opposition were contrast-
ing the pacific expressions of Bonaparte
with our silence, it is now proved, that he
affected pacific inclinations, whilst we felt
them; that we had solicited the mediation
of Russia, and evinced our readiness to
make exertions and sacrifices for the re-es-
tablishment of general tranquility. It should
seem as if Russia, always suspicious of the
professions of Bonaparte, had adopted the
principle of negotiation with no little re-
luctance. She makes no concession; she
even refuses to receive passports on any
condition than that of negotiating without
any acknowledgment of the new title which
Bonaparte had assumed.

"The solemn declaration of Russia re-
leases at once from all those charges so of-
ten brought by the French government, of
wishing to involve the continent in war, it
proves that the first use we made of a con-
tinental power, was not to extend the flames
of war, but restore peace—not to carry the
seat of hostilities to the continent, but to
make a great continental power the medi-
um of putting an end to them; an object
for which we were prepared, and willing
to make great sacrifices. Every line of
this most important state paper, furnishes
a proof of the moderation of Great Britain,
and of the insolence and hostility of France.
—It is impossible to state more simply, yet
more strongly, or place in a clearer light
the two following facts:—the one, that im-
mediately after the receipt of our answer to
his overture, Bonaparte assumed the title
of king of Italy; a title which, "in
itself, threw a new obstacle in the way of
peace; the other, that immediately after
granting the passports for M. Novoziltzoff
Bonaparte committed a fresh aggression in
the seizure of Genoa; an act which, "in-
stead of facilitating the restoration of peace
was of an nature to annihilate the very
grounds of peace."

"After such a decisive note it is impos-
sible to believe that Russia, will confine her-
self to a kind of negative hostility, to a war
of words but not of actions. We have no
doubt that the signature of the treaty of
subsidy with this country, followed close
upon the order for recalling M. Novoziltzoff,
and that Russia will immediately
if she has not already, declared war against
France. It is understood that this deci-
sive step of the court of Petersburg was
not taken without some communication
with Vienna:—It is certain that the mea-
sures of both assumed at once an aspect of
more vigour and decision; for about the
time that Russia sent off her dispatches to
recall M. Novoziltzoff, orders were issued
by Austria for all the regiments to hold
themselves in readiness, and for many of
them to begin their march for Ven-
ice. We have little doubt therefore, that
in the measures which the emperor of Rus-
sia may think proper to adopt, he will be
cordially and heartily supported by Aus-
tria."

"But what will be the effect of this note
of the Russian Cabinet, and of this dis-
cussure and defeat of the grand expedi-
tion upon Bonaparte? Those who have
studied his character believe, that they will
urge him to some rash and desperate en-
terprize. Could we view the workings of
his mind upon reading Admiral Calder's
dispatch and Novoziltzoff's note, we should
no doubt see it convulsed by all the dea-
mons of rage and revenge; a perfect pan-
demonium. If he suspects that Austria
has connected herself with Russia, he will
immediately attack her, and we shall not be
surprised to receive, by the next accounts
from Italy, intelligence of a French army
having made an irruption into the Venetian
States. It was rumored indeed last night
that France had actually commenced hos-
tilities. But it is against England that
Bonaparte's rage will be the most excited
because he knows that we defy him, and he
feels that if the Continent be to be res-
cued from his fangs, it will owe its rescue to
the example which has been set by the vi-
gor, the perseverance, the constancy and
the courage of Great Britain. If ever he
entertained any serious design of sending
his flotillas to sea, he will send them to
sea now; not because the chances of suc-
cess are greater than they were; far other-
wise; but because he will feel the necessity
of making some desperate attempt, to
turn the attention of his subjects, from the
defeat of the West India expedition.—
One of the Dutch papers that arrived the
night before last contains an extract from
another paper, which boasts that

"Napoleon I. will no longer delay the
execution of his grand plan; he will send
out the expedition against England, and
compel that kingdom to make a separate
peace, because the powers of the continent
can join the same. Probably the Dutch
will have the preference, and the game be-
gin from their ports. At Montauban a tel-
egraph is erecting on a high mountain, by
which the French, while employed on the
channel, will receive intelligence from the
north, with the celerity of lightning. That
Napoleon I. has foreseen the possibility of
a great and sudden change in the disposi-
tion of the Powers of the continent, and
that he has determined, at the same time,
to be beforehand with them, by an unex-
pected blow against England, is suffi-
ciently evident from his return from Italy, no
less speedily than unexpected."

"The Dutch Editor makes the short but
emphatic remark upon this paper, that,
'time will shew how far the writer of it is
in the secret.' But it would have been the
juster observation to have said that time
would shew its truth or falsehood; for the
Dutch Editor would not have dared to in-
sert the paragraph, unless it had come to
him from one in the secret."

"The increased activity in all the Dutch
and French ports, seem to show that some-
thing will at length be attempted. The
Pensionary Schimmelpennick, is gone to
the Dutch camp at Zeist, to review the
troops before they break up for embarka-
tion at Helvoet and the Helder. Ship-
wrights and artificers are removed from
port to port to complete the preparations in
each. Our Deal letter of this morning
mentions, that every thing is on the alert
on the coast. From two to three hundred
of the Boulogne flotilla have come into the
outer roads in apparent readiness for sail-
ing."

Commercial.—At the last dates from
England the trials of the vessels detained,
for having the produce of enemies' colonies
on board, taken in originally by the same
vessels at those colonies, was suspended,
to wait the issue of a remonstrance; but it
is said, there is little room to expect their
acquittal.

[Boston paper.]

Spring-Garden Theatre.

The public are respectfully informed
that in consequence of the Balti-
more Theatre opening on the 1st of
October, this Theatre will positively
close

ON THURSDAY EVENING,

(SEPTEMBER 26)

With the favorite TRAGEDY of
MAHOMET,

The Impostor.

(Written by the Rev. Mr. MILLER.)

Mohomet,	Mr. Wood
Mirvan,	Mr. Taylor
Zaphna,	Mr. Cain
Aleonor,	Mr. M'Kenzie
Ali,	Mr. Seymour
Pharon,	Mr. Rutherford
Guards, Citizens, &c.	

Palmyra, Mrs. Wood

END OF THE TRAGEDY,

A Scotch Comic Pantomimical Dance;
Composed by Mr. Francis,

CALLED

The Scheming Milliners;

O K,

The Beau New Trimm'd.

Old Donald,	Mr. Francis
Sandy,	Master Harris
Sawney Sly,	Master Jefferson
Beau Trippett,	Mr. Seymour

Moggy,	Miss Hunt
Jenny,	Miss Scrivener

The whole to conclude with

A R E E L,

By Mr. Francis, Master Harris, Master Jeffers-
on, and Miss Hunt.

After which, the much admired
COMIC OPERA OF

NO SONG NO SUPPER.

Frederick,	Mr. Cain
Robin,	Mr. Jefferson
Endless,	Mr. Francis
Crop,	Mr. M'Kenzie
Thomas,	Master Harris
William,	Mr. Taylor

Margaretta,	Mrs. Jefferson
Louisa,	Miss Scrivener
Dorothy,	Mrs. Seymour
Nelly,	Miss Hunt

The Doors to be opened at 6, and the per-
formance to begin precisely at 7.
Admittance One Dollar.

Tickets to be had at Mr. Ganss's bar,
and at the THEATRE.

Should the weather prove unfavorable,
the entertainments will be postponed until the
first fair evening.

September 25.

TO LET OR SELL,

A Blacksmith's Shop & Tools,

IN a very convenient and old stand, near col-
Hook's wharf. It has been used in the ship-
smith line, as long as any shop in the town, and a
great deal of money has been made by the former
proprietor. An industrious sober man might do
very well. Application to be made to JAMES
CAMPBELL, or LOUD N. W. CAMPBELL, ship-
joiners next door to the premises.

Sept. 25.

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WANTED,

A YOUNG MAN, who has been regularly
bred to the Dry Good business. To such a one
coming well recommended, a liberal salary will be
given. Apply to
Sept. 25.

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A GARDENER WANTED.

A GARDENER, who can bring testimonials of good
character, and skill in his profession, will meet with
immediate employment and liberal wages.—A German
with a wife who understands spinning and the care of a
dairy would be preferred. He is wanted to reside on a
farm two miles from Alexandria.—Application may be
made to
Sept. 25.

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EDUCATION.

The subscriber returns his sincere
thanks to his Friends and Employers, for their
patronage and past favors; and respectfully begs
leave to inform them and the inhabitants of Alex-
andria, that he will commence an *Evening School*
on Monday the 16th of September. Those who
are disposed to favor him with their scholars, are
desired to make speedy application, as he will
take but a small number. Particular attention
will be paid to the English Grammar, Surveying,
theoretical and practical part, if requested—Navi-
gation, the use of the Globes, or any of the dif-
ferent branches of the Mathematics.

William Slade.

Prince-street Academy,
August 31.

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MILLS FOR SALE.

The subscribers offer for sale, that valuable property, known by the name of

COLUMBIA MILL,

Situated on the south bank of Major Abraham's creek, below the confluence of the Kenderhook and Claverack creeks, about half a mile from the channel of the North river, and four miles North of Hudson, being one of the best streams in the State of New York, four run of burr-stones are erected in the mill, together with all the machinery, constructed in the best and most convenient manner for the manufacture of flour. The water is navigable along side of the mill for boats drawing 5 feet water. The advantages which this situation affords for the manufacture of flour are numerous, and will be best appreciated by any person wishing to engage in that line of business, by a view of the premises.

For price and terms of payment, which will be made easy to the purchaser, and to whom an indisputable title will be given. Apply to

Eliza Jenkins, at Albany,
O R,

John Alfop, at Hudson.

September 9.

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PUBLIC SALE.

PURSUANT to Deeds of Trust from Philip Wanton to the subscriber will be sold on the premises, at public auction, at 11 o'clock, A. M. on the 5th day of October, ensuing,

Six Lots of Ground,

Handsomely situated on Stump Hill, about two miles west from Alexandria, described in the plat of said tract by the numbers 18, 19, 20, 23, 24, and 25, lying in one body, and contain about 36 acres, being subject to pay of the original purchase money two instalments due 2d January and 2d July past, in amount \$97 13-100 dollars—The terms of trust are CASH; but some credit will be allowed on satisfactory security.

In like manner, will be sold,

In the town of Centreville, 25 miles from Alexandria, at 11 o'clock, on the 12th day of October next,

A valuable Lot of Ground, together with the improvements thereon; consisting of a good Frame Dwelling-House, a Tannery of Vats, Bark-House, &c. convenient for the tanning business.

Samuel Craig, Trustee.

September 2.

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PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of a deed of trust from John Norwood, to the subscriber, will be exposed to public auction, on Saturday the 28th of September 1805,

A Lot of Ground,

Situate on the south side of King street, extending on said street, 63 feet five inches, and running back 176 feet 7 inches. On said lot are 3 well finished two story frame houses, with the necessary back buildings. A credit of 3, 12, 18 and 24 months, will be allowed, on the purchasers giving their notes, with approved indorsers, negotiable in the bank of Alexandria.

Francis Peyton.

Sept. 6.

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Valuable Property for Sale.

On the 10th day of October next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold on a long credit, at public vendue, on the premises,

THAT large STONE WAREHOUSE on the corner of Wolfe and Union streets; one-half of a Ground Rent of £. 131 18/- arising out of the Distill-house immediately opposite; one half of the Wharf that was built by general Roberdeau, and a number of Vacant Lots on Water, Wolfe, and Union streets.

The property will be shown to any person applying to the subscriber.

THOMAS PATTEN.

August 19.

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NOTICE.

THE administration of the estate of JAMES WILSON, deceased, having been committed to the Subscribers by the Orphans' Court of the county of Alexandria, they hereby require all those indebted to the said estate to make immediate payment of their respective debts; and those who have claims against the estate, to exhibit them as early as possible, properly authenticated.

Eliza Wilton,
R. I. Taylor.

August 12.

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TO LET,

The Store and Cellar, lately occupied by Mr. James Wilson, deceased. They will be let either with or without the dwelling-house, as may be most convenient to the person who may be inclined to become a tenant. Apply to Mrs. Eliza Wilton or R. I. Taylor.

September 4.

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We wish to take a YOUNG MAN as a STUDENT of MEDICINE. Craik & Washington.

August 28.

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DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA,

County of Alexandria, ff.

June Term, 1805.

William Riley, Complainant,
Against
Adam Douglass and John
and Thos. V. well, Defendants,

In Chancery.

The defendant Adam Douglass, not having entered his appearance and given security, according to the act of assembly, and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant Adam Douglass, is not an inhabitant of this district, on motion of the complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant Adam Douglass, do appear here on the first day of November term next, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court, and that the other defendants, John and Thomas Vowell, do not pay away, convey, or secrete the debts by him owing to, or the estate, or effects in their hands, belonging to the said absent defendant Adam Douglass, until the further order or decree of the court, and that a copy of this order, be forthwith inserted, in both of the public newspapers, published in this county, for two months successively, and that another copy, be posted at the front door of the court house of said county.

A Copy,

TEST,

G. DENEALE, c. c.

August 21.

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DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA,

County of Alexandria, ff.

June Term, 1805.

Ferdinand Marsteller and John Young, trading under the firm of Marsteller & Young, Complainants, against
Samuel Croudson, and Co. and John Tucker, the Chairman of the Marine Insurance Association of the town of Alexandria, Defendants,

In Chancery.

The said defendants Samuel Croudson and Co. not having entered their appearance, and given security, according to the act of assembly, and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendants Samuel Croudson and Co. are not inhabitants of this district, on motion of the complainants by their counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendants, Samuel Croudson, and Co. do appear here, on the first day of November term next, and enter their appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court, and that the other defendant, John Tucker, Chairman of the Marine Insurance Association of Alexandria, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by him owing to, or the estate or effects, in his hands belonging to the said absent defendants, Samuel Croudson and Co. until the further order or decree of the court, and that a copy of this order, be forthwith inserted for two months successively in both of the public newspapers published in this county, and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court house of said county.

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G. DENEALE, c. c.

August 21.

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DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA,

County of Alexandria, ff.

June Term, 1805.

Thomas Lewis, (Complainant) against
Hannah Griffith, widow and relict of David Griffith, deceased; Lewell Griffith, Camillus Griffith, Colville Griffith, and Sarah Griffith, children of the said David Griffith, deceased; Elizabeth Griffith, widow and relict of David Griffith, jun. deceased; Elizabeth Thompson & Emily Griffith, Fred. Lewell Griffith, Lucy Ann Griffith and Elizabeth Griffith, heirs of David Griffith, jun. dec. and Baldwin Dade, (Defendants)

In Chancery.

THE said Defendants, Elizabeth Griffith, widow and relict of David Griffith, jun. deceased; Emily Griffith, Frederick L. Griffith, Lucy Ann Griffith and Elizabeth Griffith, heirs of the said David Griffith, jun. deceased, and Lewell Griffith, not having entered their appearance and given security according to the rules of this court—and it appearing, to the satisfaction of the court, that they are not inhabitants of this district—on motion of the complainant by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendants do appear here on the first day of November term, and answer the complainant's bill. And it is further ordered, that the infant defendants be allowed to appear, by their guardians, and answer the said bill and defend this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in both of the public newspapers published in this county, for two months successively, and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court house of the said county.

A Copy,

TEST,

G. DENEALE, c. c.

August 21.

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TO RENT,

A convenient two story BRICK HOUSE, situate on Prince street, and now occupied by Dr. Gillies. Possession may be had on or before the 10th of October next. Apply to John Longden.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA,

County of Alexandria, ff.

June Term, 1805.

William Thornton Alexander, Complainant,
Against
Stephen Cook, James H. Hooe,
Robert T. Hooe, Robert E.
vans, Robert Smith and Peter Billy, defendants,

In Chancery.

THE Defendant, Stephen Cooke, not having entered his appearance and given security according to the act of assembly and the rules of this court; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said Stephen Cooke is not an inhabitant of this district; on motion of the complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, That the said defendant do appear here on the first day of November term next, and enter his appearance to the suit and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendants James T. Hooe, Robert T. Hooe, Robert Evans, Robert Smith, and Peter Billy, do not pay away, convey, or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands belonging to the said absent defendant Stephen Cooke, until the further order or decree of the court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively, in both of the public newspapers published in this county, and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court house of said county.

A Copy,

TEST,

G. DENEALE, c. c.

August 21.

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THE SUBSCRIBERS,

HAVE RECEIVED,

A considerable addition to their stock, forming an extensive assortment of the best articles in their line of business.

—THEY HAVE FOR SALE—

Madeira,
Sherry,
Lisbon,
Teneriffe,
Malaga and Port,

Wines of the first quality and in fine order.

St. Estephe Medoc Claret, in cases of one and two dozen, Cognac Brandy, old Peach do. Jamaica and Antigua Rum, very old Jamaica Spirit, for family use, Continental Rum, 70 barrels Pennsylvania Rye Whiskey, old Irish Whiskey, Molasses.

Gunpowder
Imperial
Hylon
Young Hylon
Hylon Skin
Souchong

TEAS,

carefully chosen of the freshest and best qualities for family use.

Philadelphia and Alexandria loaf and lump Sugars, Mulcovado Sugars, Coffee, Tennessee and Upland Georgia Cotton, Rice, Mace, Nutmegs, Cloves, Cassia, Pepper, Pimento, race and ground Ginger, Mustard, pearl Barley, Starch, Fig Blue, Flotant & Orleans Indigo, Madder, Copperas, Bees Wax, Hunter's pipes in boxes, Snuff in bladders and bottles, wrapping Paper, Havana Segars, British Gunpowder, Patent Shot, Bar Lead, refined Saltpetre, Brimstone, Alum, Chalk, Soap, Mould and Dipt Candles, Demijohns, &c.

Mandeville & Jamesson.

August 10.

LAND TO RENT.

The subscriber offers to RENT, for one or more years,

A VERY valuable FARM, containing about 800 acres; at present occupied by Mr. Daniel Dye. It lies on Bull Run, in the county of Prince-William, near to Centreville, about 20 miles to Dumfries, 25 to Alexandria, and about the same distance to Washington City and George Town. The land is of the first quality, if not superior to any, on that run, well adapted to the growth of every kind of grain, it is divided into three fields of about 200 acres each—those fields, when in pasture, produce white clover in the greatest abundance, the growth luxuriant and equal to any pastures below the Blue Ridge—a large quantity of meadow ground of the best quality binding on the run, which might be prepared with very little labor, and a sufficient quantity of wood-land, for keeping in repair the necessary fencing, the buildings, except a barn, are indifferent; yet the central situation of this farm (in a healthy part of the country) to those capital towns, the fertility of its soil, the great advantages that may be derived from such a farm, render it an object worth the attention of any industrious farmer.

The premises will be shown by Spencer Ball, Esquire, near thereto, or the tenants thereon, and the terms made known by applying to

Robert Mitchell.

Richmond County, Grove-Mount, } 1aw3w

September 4.

Leonard-Town Races.

The Leonard-Town Jockey-Club RACES, are the 15th and 16th of October next.—The first day's race for FORTY GUINEAS, and the second for TWENTY GUINEAS, agreeable to the rules of said club.

By order,

E. J. MILLARD, Sec'y.

August 26

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The highest price given for clean Linen Rags, by the Printer of this paper.

For Freight, or Charter.



THE NEW SHIP
RHODA & BETSEY,
ELIAS TENNY,
MASTER;

Burthen 230 tons, she has been formed only one voyage to Europe, is now in perfect staunch order, commodious for passengers and a first rate sailer, ready to be ordered here in a few days, on application to

John G. Ladd.

September 24.

FOR SALE,

ON LOW TERMS,

1 case Platillas Royals,
1 bale of Checks, No. 1,
Philadelphia Butter,
Stone Lime, and
Sherry Wine, by

A. W. Preufs, & Co.

September 24.

CHARLES BENNETT

Has Imported per the ship Perseverance, from London, via Baltimore, the following Goods, which will be round and for Sale in a few days:

Superfine Cloths and Kerseymeres of superior quality

Fashionable Waistcoating, consisting of Imperial clouded Brunswick Swanfdowns, Check Vigona do. Beaverfelt Toilettes, Welsted Quilings, &c. &c.

Elastic Suspenders
Irish Linens and Silecias
Scine and Sewing Twine
Superfine and common Shoe Thread, &c. &c.
Best FF and battle Gunpowder.

He daily expects per the United States, from Liverpool, a general assortment of Woollens, Hosiery, and Manchester.

September 24.

JOSEPH RIDDLE

Has Received by the Ceres and other ships lately arrived at Baltimore, a considerable part of his

FALL GOODS;

Which are now opening at his store in Fairfax street, and daily expects an additional supply in the United States from Liverpool.

September 23,

A NEW NOVEL.

Just Published, by OTTOM and STEWART, and for Sale, at their Store.

[PRICE ONE DOLLAR 75 CENTS.]

Fleetwood:

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The NEW MAN OF FEELING.

By WILLIAM G. DWIN.

September 18.

The Subscriber

Wishes to RENT or SELL, the following

Property, on King-street, viz.

THE CORNER STORE, lately occupied

by himself—the stand is equal to any in town for a retail store, and will be rented very cheap. Also, the HOUSE lately occupied by Doctor Hall; the house is very convenient and in good repair—this also will be rented a bargain if applied for immediately. For terms, apply to

THOMAS RICHARDS,

or in his absence to Mrs. Haffsa, living on the premises.

August 8.

HOUSE AND LOTS for Sale,

UPON POTOMACK;

Situated at the lower part, and within the limits of the town of Alexandria.

The house is built in the cottage style, calculated for the accommodation of a small family, but so planned as to admit of considerable enlargement without effecting its uniformity. It commands a fine view of the river and its adjacent country. The garden, principally in front, is rich and in high cultivation, extending to the water, which it approaches by semi-circular falls. The lot attached to the house is 63 feet fronting upon Water-street, (corner of Jefferson-street) running into the channel. More ground may be obtained if required.

In the same range, and to the southward of the above, are several Lots, similarly situated as to advantages and prospect, calculated for neat small buildings. The whole or any part of the above property may be obtained by purchase upon reasonable terms, either in fee simple or under a light ground-rent. A clear title free from every incumbrance will be given upon the payment of the sum agreed for, and a liberal credit allowed if required. Mr. Yates, residing upon the shore, below Keith's wharf, and adjoining the premises, will show the property, and a line directed to Doctor Hamilton, post-office, Alexandria, will meet with immediate attention.

September 21.

St. Vincents Rum,

Muscovado Sugar, and

Spanish Hides,

FOR SALE BY

Benjamin Shreve, junr.

August 5.

PRINTED DAILY, BY

S. S. SNOWDEN.

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On TUESDAY

at 10 o'clock, will be sold

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In hhds, and bls. French

Gin in pipes and bls.

Whiskey and Apple Brandy

Sugar in hhds, tierces and

Chocolate

White and brown Soap and

Mould and dipt Candles

Raisins in kegs, boxes and

Figs in kegs and frails,

Queen's Ware in crates,

HOUSEHOLD FU

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Philip G

Dec. 20.

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